

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: CORRELATION BETWEEN THE FUCOSE
CONTENT/GALACTOSE CONTENT RATIO OF
ANTI-RHESUS-D AND ANTI-HLA-DR
ANTIBODIES AND THE ADCC ACTIVITY

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated September 16, 2009, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Applicants have enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

This Amendment raises no new issues, would require no further search, and would place the application in condition for allowance. No claims are amended. The arguments herein clearly overcome the art rejections of record. Accordingly, Applicants request entry of this Amendment.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9.

Please amend the application as follows: